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SUBJ: FRG REPRESENTATION OF BERLIN IN THE UN

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1. THE DEPARTMENT CONCURS IN THE ISSUANCE OF THE BKC/ L
IN BERLIN AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. CAN WE ASSUME IN THIS
CONNECTION THAT FRG STILL INTENDS TO SEND THE SCHEEL
LETTER TO THE UNSYG AS FORESEEN IN THE AGREED SCENARIO
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(PARA 2(A), REFTEL D)?

2. WE AGREE WITH THE BRITISH VIEW (PARA 5, REFTEL A) THAT SHOWING THE BKC/ L TEXT TO THE SOVIETS AT AN EARLY STAGE, AS THE FRG IS CONTEMPLATING COULD ENCOURAGE THE SOVIETS TO RAISE QUESTIONS ABOUT THE REST OF OUR PROCEDURES BEFORE THEY ARE COMPLETED.

3. THERE WILL BE NEED, HOWEVER, AS AMBASSADOR HILLENBRAND HAS POINTED OUT (PARA 4, REFTEL C) TO TALK WITH THE SOVIETS ABOUT THE LETTERS WHICH THE FOUR POWERS WILL SEND TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL OR THE SECRETARY GENERAL. THIS COULD BE DEALT WITH BY THE THREE POLADS IN BERLIN WITH THEIR SOVIET COLLEAGUE. SUCH A MEETING COULD TAKE PLACE AT AN EARLY DATE IF THIS WOULD BE USEFUL TO MEET THE FRG' S PURPOSES IN REASSURING THE EAST GERMANS THAT THERE IS NO WESTERN INTENTION TO BLOCK THEIR UN MEMBERSHIP. ROGERS

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